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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of Response Under 37 CFR 1.116 - Expedited Procedure

:Customer Number: 20277

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: Confirmation Number: 7217

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Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above identified application.



No additional fee is required.



Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27



Also attached: Two Month Petition for Extension of Time

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	29	35	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	2	3	0	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple dependent claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$450.00
Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal					790
Total of Above Calculations					\$1240.00



Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$1240.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.



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Respectfully submitted,

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